

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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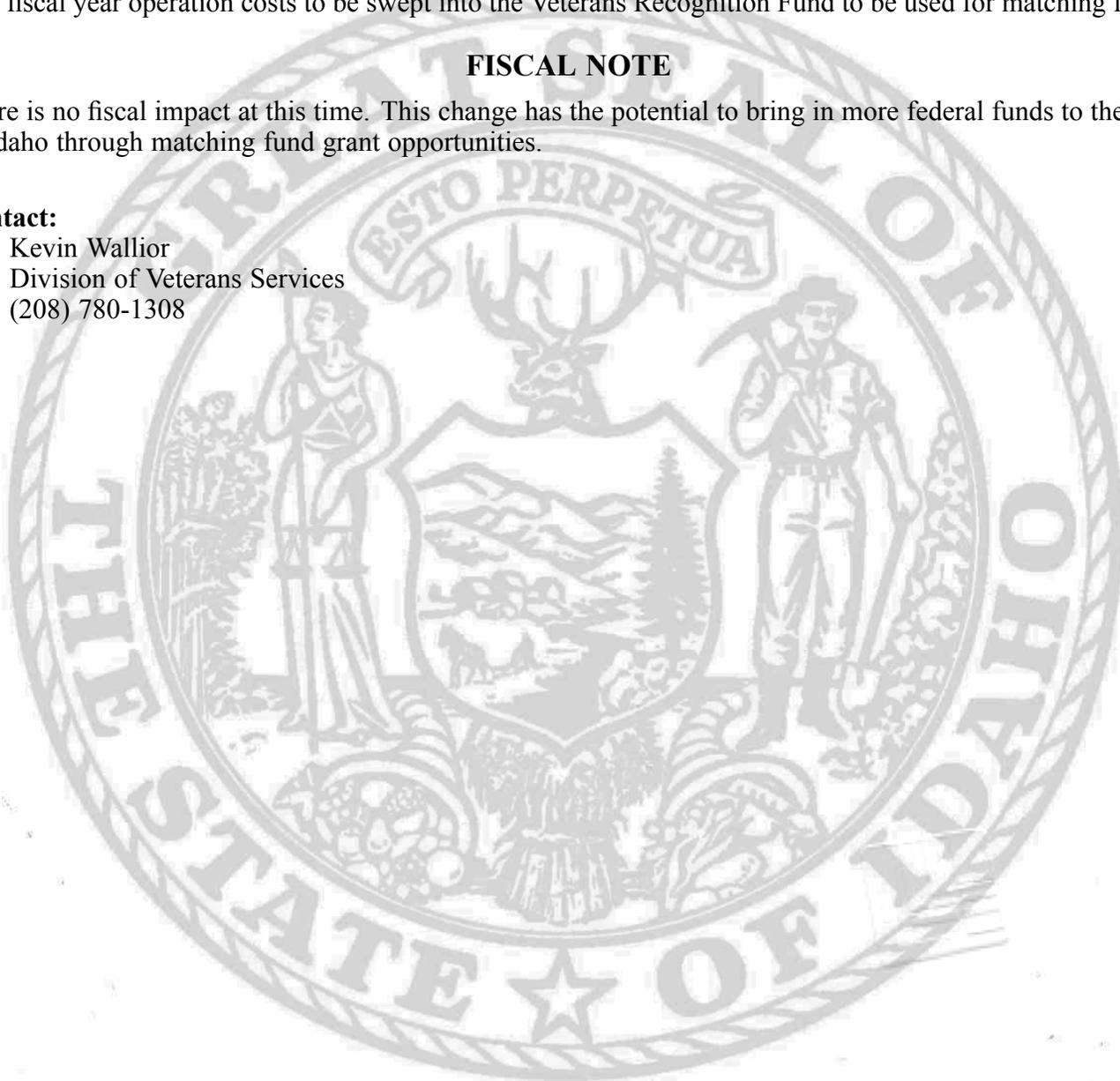
This legislation authorizes the administrator of the Division of Veterans Services to request the State Controller to make a transfer or transfers from the Idaho Veterans Recognition Fund to the Idaho Veterans Recognition Income Fund for the purpose of providing matching grant funds for new construction, replacement, remodel, and life safety projects for the Idaho State Veterans Homes, State Veterans Cemeteries, and other available veterans services federal grant opportunities. This also repeals conflicting language in Section 65-704(5), Idaho Code. Additionally, this legislation allows for fiscal year end revenue in excess of the first six months of the new fiscal year operation costs to be swept into the Veterans Recognition Fund to be used for matching funds.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact at this time. This change has the potential to bring in more federal funds to the state of Idaho through matching fund grant opportunities.

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